Banner Message

Title: Adjustment of Overpayments of Cross-Over Claims with Medicare Psychiatric

Reductions (Revised)

COS: 57

Dear Provider:

For several months, you have received banner messages advising you that overpayments were being made on your Medicare Crossover Claims and adjustments would be made as soon as the problem was corrected systematically.

The purpose of this message is to inform you that the system has been corrected and the mass adjustment process has begun and will be accomplished in two (2) stages. In the first stage, the original incorrect payment is taken back. This was done on February 17, 2003. The second stage is to have all claims reprocessed with the correct calculation of the Medicare Coinsurance amount when Medicare has reduced the claim to 62.5% of the allowed amount for outpatient Psychiatric Services.

The second stage of the reprocessing will occur on the March 10th payment cycle.

The Division of Medical Assistance apologizes for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Sincerely,

Georgia Department of Community Health, Division of Medical Assistance